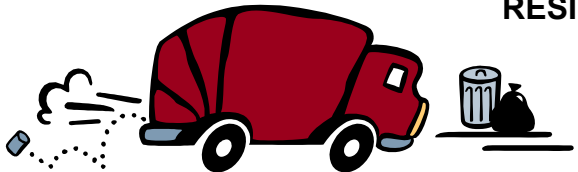


ATTENTION RESIDENTS OF THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF FRESNO COUNTY

PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETINGS REGARDING PROGRAM TO DIVERT RESIDENTIAL AND COMMERCIAL SOLID WASTE



The County of Fresno Department of Public Works and Planning, Resources Division staff, will conduct a series of public meetings to present information about a proposed program to divert residential and commercial solid waste in the ***unincorporated areas*** of Fresno county, including portions located in the Fresno/Clovis Metropolitan Area. The program is being developed in response to a State compliance order. Please join us at one of the meetings listed below to gather facts and offer comments about the proposed program.

- **Thursday, November 6, 2003**—3:30 to 5 p.m., Central Library Branch, Sarah McCardle Room, 2420 Mariposa St., Fresno.
- **Thursday, November 6, 2003**—6:30 to 8 p.m., Baird Elementary School, 5500 N. Maroa Avenue, Fresno.
- **Wednesday, November 12, 2003**—3:30 to 5 p.m., Centerville Elementary School, 48 S. Smith Ave. (at Highway 180), Centerville.
- **Wednesday, November 12, 2003**—6:30 to 8 p.m., Friant Learning Center, 17200 Burroughs Road, Friant.
- **Thursday, November 13, 2003**—3:30 to 5 p.m., Tranquillity Elementary School, 6116 S. Daniels, Tranquillity.
- **Thursday, November 13, 2003**—6:30—8 p.m., Caruthers Elementary School, Quince & Tiller Streets, Caruthers.

Staff will present information about the proposed program and will give the public an opportunity to comment. Comments from the public can also be sent via e-mail to rgilbert@fresno.ca.gov by 5:00 p.m. on November 19, 2003. It is anticipated that staff will present a related agenda item to the Board of Supervisors for its consideration on Tuesday, November 25, 2003.

If you have questions regarding these meetings, please call Richard S. Gilbert, Solid Waste Coordinator, at 262-4259.

